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THREW IT THROUGH

Harry L. Foster, author of travel books, was once traveling in South Africa and chummed up with a bullfighter on the boat from Panama to Peru.

"I am a great writer," Foster confessed to the gentleman, who had announced himself as the foremost of toradors.

"But, surely, do great writers travel third class?" asked the Spaniard.

"I explained," says Mr. Foster, "that nothing I had written had ever been published."

"All the senior is like me. I have never killed a bull."

EARLDOM CLAIMED BY U. S. WOMAN



Mrs. Isabella S. W. Callahan, 80, of Astoria, L. I., claims to be the rightful heir to Earldom of Aisle, one of Britain's richest titles. She says she is a direct descendant of Lady Janet Ogilvie, sister of the man who held the title in 1785. Lady Jane's will read that all succeeding eldest daughters should be heiresses to the vast Aisle wealth.

Credit Association To Meet in Lomita

A meeting of business and professional men of Harbor City, Torrance and Lomita will be held this evening in Civic hall, Lomita, under the auspices of the recently organized Merchants Credit Association.

TOWNE TALKS "Just for Fun"

By RAS BERRY

Well, says Willis Brooks, I was up to hear the Philharmonic orchestra the other night and they certainly put the punch in the Hollywood bowl.

Charlie LeBoeuf was pretty much worried yesterday morning. He says Uncle John announced over the radio that Gov. Richardson had made Monday a legal holiday and nobody at the bank had said anything about it. You'd have thought to see Charlie that these bank fellers don't get enough holidays.

Carl Hyde says this collecting tax data ain't all hard work. One bozo with a heavy assessment tells Carl this yarn the other day. A bird come before the county assessor with a tax notice which says that this duke's goat is assessed \$8. Why the darn goat ain't worth 50 cents, this gink tells the assessor. The official says Well there must be some law governing it and he looks in a big book and says Yeah, I knowed there was a law. Your goat is assessed O. K. he says. Here's a law that states that property abuttin on the street shall be assessed at \$2 a running foot.

Carl calculates as how it must of been on about that kind of a basis that property in Torrance was evaluated.

John Boatman has got himself a lot of big money bags and hints as how he's going to dig up some buried treasure.

Who knows but some day they may be publishing what John paid on his income tax?

TWENTY YEARS FROM TODAY

The first trans-Pacific steamship to sail from Torrance to Tokio left the dock this morning and steamed down the channel to the ocean. The big vessel, motivated by power received by radio from the Boulder dam, is expected to cross the Pacific in two days. A large group of Torrance residents sailed, including Ras Berry, who was taking his first vacation in 22 yrs. Ras traveled on a pass.

A local doctor, we ain't gonna say who, was driving into L. A. the other day and when he cut out his muffler a passenger in the back seat says, My, you surgeons sure have got good cut-outs.

Ras and Doc Shidler is proudly flaunting a newspaper clipping that shows where Red Grange made more points against Michigan in one game than any western or middle western team has ever made against the U. of M. Until Red made five touchdowns against the Mich. eleven no western or middle western gridironers ever scored more than 30 points against Michigan. And Ras and Doc is willing to match that record against those of any of the correspondence school teams that most of these fresh bozos who is kidding Doc and Ras went to.

Say, says Verne Babcock I have fixed it up with Gardena and have wired Yost and it looks like we are going to arrange a game between Gardena High and Michigan here for New Years day. Oh, is that so, says Ras and Verne seen he couldn't hand Ras nothing so he shut up.

Local Elks is at work with cards that has names of girls on them. You tear off the name of your favorite girl and get a chance on a prize and a ticket to a dance. Maybe it costs you nothing and maybe it costs you anywhere between 10 and 35 cents. Geo. Neill picked off six names of favorite girls or anyway six favorite names of girls and none of them was cheap and Ras picked off the name of Mrs. Ras and it cost him 35 cents, the limit. Well, whenever you pick your wife, says Geo. Proctor, you got to expect it to cost you plenty.

It ain't the original cost, Geo., it's the upkeep.

If La Follette is elected Joe Prata expects to be ambassador to Italy.

The only way, Davis can win, says Roy Winters, is for Coolidge, Dawes, La Follette and Wheeler to drop dead.

Why do they call it the solid south, says Everett Malone. Hey you a little ivory in your dome, answers Chas. Vonderahe.

Oil Man Loses His Arm in Accident

Robert T. Judd, 29, and William Kirkland, 27, oil workers in the local field, were badly injured Sunday when their car, driven by the latter, crashed into a street car at Central avenue and Washington street, Los Angeles.

Judd's arm was cut off and little hopes are entertained for his recovery. Kirkland sustained several cuts and contusions.

DR. BRUCE HAS RETURNED TO HIS OFFICE AGAIN AFTER AN ILLNESS OF TWO WEEKS.

Mrs. Oestrander and Mrs. C. Dunn, of San Diego, were guests last week of Mrs. D. McDonald of 218th street.

John Van Buren, who has been ill in the Pacific hospital in Los Angeles, has returned to his home at 1925 Cota avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bale have moved from the May Apartments to Anaheim and Chestnut streets, Long Beach.

Harry Peebles of Cota avenue was called to Newcastle, Pa., recently by the illness of his mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCarthy of Gramercy avenue passed Sunday with friends in Hollywood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tanif and daughter Marie of Santa Ana were the guests of Mrs. Ada Robbins and Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Chambers of 825 Cota avenue Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Nelson and daughter, of Santa Ana, were visiting a number of old friends in Torrance Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Van Vorhes and daughter Virginia Lee visited the battleships at San Pedro on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Top were the guests of Mrs. Top's sister at Norwalk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers of Los Angeles were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Allen of the Castle Apartments. After dinner the party motored to Long Beach and passed the evening with friends.

E. W. Kidder of the Castle Apartments left for Kansas City last week, where he will join Mrs. Kidder, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jere Van Andle went to Los Angeles Sunday and attended the Criterion theatre, where they saw the picture "Abraham Lincoln."

Mr. and Mrs. David Hoffman and small son were Sunday dinner guests of Los Angeles friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dundas passed Sunday at Exposition Park, where they inspected the new Sunset Limited.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Tolson, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hudson and Harry Rogers formed a party that passed Saturday and Sunday at Big Bear Lake duck hunting.

H. F. Gadeky, who has been passing a few days with his family, expects to return to Phoenix, Ariz., soon. He intends to drive through.

Mr. and Mrs. Arville Hudson, Mrs. James T. Eise, Mrs. F. L. Parks, Mrs. Anna Burmaster, Mrs. George D. Watson, Mrs. A. B. Shiner and Junior Hudson visited the U. S. S. California Monday, Navy Day.

Dr. Bruce has returned to his office again after an illness of two weeks.

Tool Company Folks Frolic At Masquerade

I. R. C. Members Enjoy Party at Legion Hall Friday Night

Members of the Industrial Relations Club of the Union Tool Company, with their wives, kiddies and sweethearts, enjoyed the time of their lives Friday night at a masquerade ball in Legion hall. Every one present got into the spirit of the occasion. The costumes ran from the ridiculous to the sublime. Herb and Bill Grau are especially worthy of mention. Herb as the village cut-up, and staid Bill as the lady friend. Their costumes and actions brought a continuous howl of merriment from the throng. Herb found an innovation in the use of electricity; his electric spot-light with the word STOP was attached to the rear of his costume and connected with a small battery.

Miss Betty Lynn won first prize for ladies in a chic Chinese costume. Miss Zuba Chiesman won second ladies' prize as a powder puff—it was so light and dainty.

Mrs. Joos in her farmerette costume won first humorous prize, and Miss Florence Ballock in her dainty Dutch costume won second prize. Harry Coleman as the ringmaster copped the men's prize. Tommy Watton in his true-to-nature Scotch costume won the men's second prize. The humorous prizes for men went to Herb and Bill Grau. There were so many varied costumes that were deserving of prizes that Miss Anna Young, W. P. Hanford and J. S. Torrance, who acted as judges, had a hard time in choosing the best.

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F. M. Berry, vice-president, and John Glass, from Toledo, were visitors.

FOR O. E. S. OFFICERS

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